

PATENT RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING GROUP 3676

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on June 5, 2006.

Vanessa S. Jackson

Appl No.

: 10/773,998

Confirmation No. 8404

Applicant

: James R. Hernandez, et al.

Filed

: February 6, 2004

Title

: FLIGHT DECK DOOR DEADBOLT ASSEMBLY

TC/A.U.

: .3676

Examiner

: Lloyd A. Gall

Docket No.

: 51916/S813

Customer No.

: 23363

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION

Mail Stop AF

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Post Office Box 7068 Pasadena, CA 91109-7068

June 5, 2006

Commissioner:

In response to the Final Office action mailed May 23, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.